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C.N.R. PRESIDENT IN NEW WESTERN OFFICE



Sir Henry Thornton, President and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Canadian National Railways, at work in his new Winnipeg office, which he will occupy at stated intervals and from which questions affecting the entire Western Region of the National Railways will be decided. Delegations desiring to meet the President on railway matters concerning the west will be heard at Winnipeg in future, instead of being required to journey to Eastern Canada.

OUR SHORT STORY

The Needle's Eye

"And however will the elephants get through here, then?" exclaimed Pat, looking back at the little gate through which she had climbed with her tray. "It's stuck they will be before ever the trunks of them are in at all."

The little gate was set rather high in a thick board fence that closed the passage between two of the big hospital buildings. It was obviously the only way to pass from the outer court into the inner court, which, broad and sunny, was bounden on three sides by the tall balconied buildings and on the other by the river.

Dr. Kerr the young interne, who was leaning in the doorway of the work-room brushed a speck from his white uniform, and laughed. "You got your elephants through all right Miss Pat," he observed, looking at Pat's trayful of little wooden animals quaintly capped and gorgeously colored. "Been showing them over at the medical?"

"Sure" replied Pat. Her mischievous blue eyes twinkled as she gazed demurely at her toys; she was well aware that the dignified young doctor was not pleased with the Irish that fell so lightly from her soft tongue. "Dr. Dowie was asking me," she said, "would I bring them over to let little Micky Conover see them. He was hoping the little beasts would maybe make Micky laugh, so he wouldn't die on them before they had him cured at all."

"Die" echoed Dr Kerr. "He would not do that, would he, with the circus coming?"

"He would not" declared Pat. "But only for the circus I don't know how they would be able to keep him alive at all, and him the putifulest looking little gossoon ever you laid your two eyes on."

Kerr nodded. He had known of more than one desperate case of homesickness and discouragement that had been bettered if not cured by the coming of the circus, the glorious and soul stirring event that once every year, on a magical blue morning in shook the hospital out of its dry bed of routine and flew away with it to fairyland. For

days before the event the thrill of it would be in the air. For it operations were postponed, and regulations were suspended. By it for three enchanted hours distinctions of class and custom were leveled to the ground. The most distinguished physician was not one at all in comparison with the humblest Pantaloons, and the starched head nurse could not compare with the lady contortionist, or the least bespangled of the bareback riders. Doctors, acrobats, nurses, clowns, patients mingled in an atmosphere of sunshine, friendliness and good cheer that lingered long after the last echo of the music had died and the last elephant had lumbered away in the rear of the receding procession.

"Sure 'twould be no circus at all without the elephants," said Pat, lifting her tray and starting for the door. "It was in the west court we had it last year."

"This court is better" said Dr. Kerr "They'll manage somehow about the gate. It's easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle, you know he added, smiling at his own wit.

"Camels, is it?" Pat flashed back a smile in a dazzle of white teeth and cheeks like roses. "They're easy, but does it be saying anything about elephant in the Good Book, then?"

"Dr. Kerr stood aside to let her pass and, leaving him slightly bewildered between the dazzle of her smile and the rich brogue on her tongue, which he suspected her of assuming just to tease him. Pat slipped by him to put some of her animals away in the work room and to fill her baskets with materials to take up to her ward.

Pat was an occupational therapist aid; that is to say, she was one of the corps of busy women who taught knitting, netting, knotting and all the kinds of useful and ornamental handiwork to the patients in the big hospital to help while away their time and to woo them back to health and happiness.

Pat was a highly popular aid; she was so popular in fact that she really was a privileged character. Patricia may or not have been her name; if it were not, everyone thought that it ought to have been. Everyone called her Pat without question. She was

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Ribstone Council Meeting: Minutes

Regular meeting of the Council of the M.D. Ribstone No. 421, held in the Council Chamber, Chauvin, Saturday October 20th

Present: All members of the Council were present, Reeve Ferguson presiding.

Minutes of last preceding meeting were read and Councillor Belanger moved that the minutes be adopted as read. Carried.

Accounts: The following accounts were presented and ordered paid on motion of Clr. McCluskey. Carried.

F. B. Brewer \$68.75 for road diversion and fencing, Dept. of the Interior \$1.00; Imperial Lumber Co. \$13.30; R. H. Black \$75.00; P. Simard \$10.00; Western Municipal News \$6.68; J. A. Code .45; Western Municipal News \$1.13; Mothers' Alliance \$22.50; Provincial Training School \$48.38; Canada Ingot Co. \$100.97; \$4411.25; \$51.73; Adams & Co. \$227.00; A. E. Keith Re valuation \$7.00; Mrs. Lavold re J. T. Anderson \$30.00; R. L. StJeon \$7.00 John Kampe Re J. T. Andersin \$14.00 Western LLumber Co. \$111.60; Workmen's Compensation \$19.15; Milne Bros. \$42.80; Time Sheets, Div. 1 H. Rouillard \$33.00; Tom St.Pierre \$2.50; Div 2, Jeff Swan \$12.00; U. C. Henton \$7.00; McKeever \$3.06; Hiv. 3. H. Young \$26.50; G. W. McEwne \$15.25; Div. 4. H. Witt \$21.00; B. G. Mew \$25.50; Chronicle \$61.00; D. Mowatt \$5.50.. T. Bazley \$10.00; R. Tenney \$4.00; Municipal Association \$20.00 & \$20.00; J. Kampe \$14.00.

Correspondence. Debt Adjustment Bureau (S. Marks), (I. G. Noble).

These were filed without action taken.

Association of Municipal Districts: Letter was read asking for delegate to be appointed to attend the Municipal Convention at Edmonton, lords Dallyn and Sewell be the delegates. Carried.

Edmonton Hospital Board (Mrs. Elizabeth Castle). Waiting further correspondence.

Canadian National Railways Re Assessment Councillor McCluskey moved that this assessment stand. Carried.

Tax Recovery Act (Department) Letter was read from Department in regard to the provisions of the Tax Recovery Ac, Councillor Belanger moved that no extension be made in this regard. Carried.

Valuation Re, Found damages Cote v.s Page.

Secretary reported having received an appeal from Mr. R. Page in regard to a claim for damages filed by M. Cote with poundkeeper Mr MacAskill. Owing to it being necessary that the damages should be ascertained immediately so as to allow threshing operations to go on he had asked the Reeve to have a committee appointed to make a valuation of said damages. Reeve appointed Councillor Belanger as a committee, but as Mr Belanger did not like to act alone the Reeve consented to act with him for this purpose. This committee reported having valued the damages at \$70.00.

Clr. McCluskey moved that the action of the committee in this regard be approved, and that the report be accepted. Carried.

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For U.S. President?



When Henry Ford was asked by Montreal reporters if he would run for President of the United States, he said, "I am not running for or against anything", but when asked if he would accept nomination if prodded, the motor car king replied:

"No one knows what they will do from one day to another."

Mr. Ford is here seen in conversation with Mr. Grant Hall, vice-president

of the Canadian Pacific Railway, at Windsor Station, Montreal.

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and when the votes are counted, one or the other of the questions will be likely to have over one-half of the total votes cast and will be declared carried as expressing the will of the majority which all must submit to.

The present method of marking the ballot with a X is adequate for the purpose of showing the voters choice out of two only. Any other mark, letter or figure would answer the purpose equally well. So long as the votes cast at an election can be assembled in two piles, one or the other is almost certain to contain more than one-half of all the votes cast and the will of the majority is thus ascertained.

Trouble arises with this method of voting when there are more than two questions before the electors, with one question to be carried and no question receives a clear majority of all the votes cast. If the electors have to make a choice out of three questions, there will be three piles of ballots. If one of them contains more than the other two, that is more than half of the total ballots cast, the will of the majority is clearly ascertained, and the object of the election has been attained. But if the votes are about equally divided among the three questions and no question has a majority of all the votes cast, the election has failed to disclose the will of the majority.

If all the electors were called together into one large hall to decide by a show of hands which of the three questions should be adopted as the

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MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM PROPERTY

NEAR CHAUVIN, ALBERTA

Pursuant to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by "The Land Title Act," under a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale.

There will be offered for sale by public auction at the post office in the village of Chauvin in the province of Alberta, on Saturday the 10th day of November 1923, at the hour of 2.00 o'clock in the afternoon the following property, namely:

The North-West quarter of Section Eighteen (18) in Township Forty-three (43) Range One (1) West of the Fourth Meridian, containing One Hundred and Fifty-nine (159) acres more or less, reserving thereout mines and minerals and subject to the exceptions, reservations and conditions in the original grant thereof from the Crown and in the existing Certificate of Title.

Terms of sale to be Twenty per cent cash at the time of sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitors.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserved bid and free from all encumbrances save taxes for the current year.

The Vendor is informed that the above property is situated about one mile from the Village of Chauvin and consists of about 144 acres of open land, 10 acres of low lying land and 5 acres of hay land. The property is fenced with two strand barbed wire.

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The soil is dark loam with clay subsoil. Buildings consist of House, Lean-to and Porch, Barn and Cow Barn. 55 acres were summerfallowed this year.

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS and conditions of sale apply to Griesbach O'Connor & Company, Solicitors, 10072 Jasper Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta.

DATED at Edmonton in the Province of Alberta, this 1st day of October A.D. 1923.

GRIESBACH O'CONNOR & COMPANY
Vendor's Solicitors

Approved:

"A. T. KINNAIRD"
Dep. Registrar
(SEAL)

MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM PROPERTY

NEAR EDGERTON, ALBERTA

Pursuant to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by "The Land Title Act," under a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale.

There will be offered for sale by public auction at the post office in the village of Edgerton in the province of Alberta, on Saturday the 10th day of November 1923, at the hour of 2.00 o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, namely:

The South-West quarter of Section Twenty-five (25) in Township Forty-two (42) Range Four (4) West of the Fourth Meridian, excepting thereout and therefrom the land covered by the waters of Lake No. 3 at the time of the survey of the said lake, the land hereby described containing One Hundred and Fifty-nine and Twenty-Hundredths (159 20-100) acres more or less, excepting Two and Thirty-eight Hundredths (2 38-100) acres for a roadway. Reserving thereout mines and minerals and subject to the exceptions, reservations and conditions in the original grant from the Crown and in the existing Certificate of Title.

Terms of sale to be Twenty per cent cash at the time of sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitors.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserved bid and free from all encumbrances save taxes for the current year.

The Vendor is informed that the above property is situated about eight miles from the Village of Edgerton and consists of 156.82 acres, of which 100 acres are open land, 15 acres are brush and the balance is low lying land with light sandy soil. The property is all fenced with 2 strand barbed wire and is watered by a well. Buildings consist of log house and stable. There were 30 acres cultivated in 1922.

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MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM PROPERTY

NEAR CHAUVIN, ALBERTA

Pursuant to the Judgement and final Order for Sale there will be offered for sale by George F. Reynolds, Auctioneer, at the Post Office in the Village of Chauvin in the Province of Alberta, on

Monday the 29th day of October A.D. 1923 at the hour of Two O'clock in the afternoon.

The South West Quarter of Section Two (2) in Township Forty-five (45) and Range One (1) west of the Fourth Meridian in the Province of Alberta, subject to the reservations and exceptions expressed and contained in the original Grant from the Crown and in the existing Certificate of Title, containing 158 acres more or less.

The Vendor is informed that the said lands are situated about 14 miles from Chauvin and about 11 miles from Butze on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway and about 4½ miles from Lealholme Post Office and there is a school on the adjoining quarter section.

That the soil is a dark loam and of good quality with clay subsoil, and that about 140 acres are under cultivation, and that about 8 acres additional can be brought under cultivation, the remainder being suitable for pasture land and hay.

That there is a dwelling on the said lands 12 x 16 with an addition 10 x 10, a frame barn 24 x 30, Machine Shed 16 x 20 and several granaries.

The property will be sold subject to a reserve bid and to the taxes for the year 1923.

The terms of payment are ten per cent cash on day of sale, and the balance within sixty days thereafter without interest, or the purchaser shall pay ten per cent of the purchase price at the time of sale and shall execute a mortgage for the sum of \$1000.00 in favor of the plaintiff for three years, repayable with interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum as follows: \$300.00 on the 1st day of November in each of the years 1924 and 1925 and \$400.00 on the 1st day of November 1926 and the purchaser shall pay the balance of the purchase price into Court within sixty days from the date of the sale..

In other respects the standing conditions of sale of the Supreme Court of Alberta as approved by the Master will govern.

Further particulars may be had from

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Approved H.C.T. J.A. ROSS,
L.J.S.C. D.C.S.C.

Cooking Demonstrations

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You are cordially invited to attend these demonstrations, and any questions about Domestic science or household problems will be gladly answered.

Cook books will be given away free of charge.

Ribstone Council Meeting: Minutes

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Cancellation of taxes N. W. 36-42-3-w4th, Letter was read from Oliver Yoong:

Clr. McCluskey moved that the 1923 taxes be cancelled owing to the fact that Mr. Young really abandoned his land in January last. Carried.

Bridge reported in dangerous condition on Secs. 21 and 28 42-3-4.

Referred to Clr. McCluskey for attention.

Dangerous condition of grade reported north of Ribstone 19 and 20 43-2-4

South of the bridge wash-out. Referred to Clr. Sewell for attention.

Cancellation of Taxes Re. S.W. 6-42-1-4 Mr. Furlotte having produced his receipt from the Dominion Government showing that he did not file on the land until December 1921, Clr. Belanger moved that 1921 taxes be cancelled. Carried.

General Business: Secretary was instructed to write to Mr. E. Bourdreau and remind him of the work to be done this fall in regard to noxious weeds.

Moved by Clr. McCluskey that the meeting adjourn and the next meeting be held at Chauvin Saturday December 1st at 1.30 o'clock p.m. Crd.

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will of the majority, the electors might have to vote twice before reaching a decision. On the first vote each elector would hold up his hand for first choice. The result would probably be that no question would have a clear majority of all the votes cast. But one of the questions would be almost certain to have fewer first choices than either of the others.

The chairman of the meeting would declare this question defeated, leaving only two in the running. A show of hands would next be called for between the two remaining questions. Now the electors who had as their first choice the defeated question would still have a right to vote for their choice of the remaining two. The result would be two piles of ballots with a clear majority for one of the questions.

The same result could be obtained by holding two elections under the X vote method. At the first election each elector would vote for his choice of the three; at the second election the question receiving the fewest votes in the first election would be dropped and all the voters would be given a chance to vote for their choice of the remaining two, thus giving one or the other the necessary majority.

Such a method would be very cumbersome and too costly to adopt for a dozen consecutive elections might be necessary to select a winner where the questions were sufficiently numerous. Moreover the same result can be gained in a very simple and inexpensive manner. Note what the electors did in the two elections referred to. In the first they voted their choices, that is their first choices.

In the second election those who had voted their first choices for the defeated question, voted their second for one of the two remaining questions, and their ballots went into one or other of the two piles and took part in the final result in expressing the will of the majority.—

Now this result can be secured by each elector marking his first choice 1. his second choice 2 and so on for the number of questions, and having the consecutive elections all over at once so far as his part is concerned. The official who counts the votes does the rest according to the instructions given on the ballot. If the elector's first preference question is dropped as having fewest votes, his second preference question shows which one of his ballot counted for. The count-

ing official keeps transferring the ballots from one pile to another as indicated until there are only two piles left, one of which is almost certain to contain more than half of all the votes cast and is thus the expressed will of the majority.

At the coming plebiscite there are urged to mark his preference to the limit. The exercise of this choice develops intelligence, knowledge and judgement, and as this form of ballot is likely to come into general use the sooner the elector learns to use his right to vote to the fullest extent the better it will be for the elector and for the country.

"When Jim tried to kiss me I was so astonished that I nearly—"
"Nearly what?"
"Nearly stopped him."

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The following New Reduced prices have just been received by me from the Calgary office of the C. P. R.

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extraordinarily pretty, and the sweetness of her voice was only less ravishing than the sweet things she said with it. Whether it was a bit of blarney or the appealing sparkle of her blue Irish eyes or the obvious tenderness of her warm Irish heart, certain it is that she could do remarkable things with difficult or fractious patients.

"If you could say three words to little Timmie Doane, Pat; get him to string beads of something. He's so homesick today nobody can do anything with him." That would be Miss Crane of the psychopathic ward.

"O Pat, Miss Cooper says will you try what you can do with Mary Fuselli T. B. division."

And Pat's infections and gentle laughter at the side of poor, haunted Mary would charm away the "voice" for her; and Pat's "Sure now, mavour een, 'tis a grand necklace ye'll be making for Pat," would warm the sad heart of little Timmie Doane. And once their fingers were busy, nature would have at least a fair chance to heal their soul and their bodies.

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So now, stepping off the elevator with her basket, Pat was not astonished when Miss Allen of the surgical ward, hailed her. "It's that case in our private room, Annex A." Miss Allen explained. "Mr Croesus we call him—his real name is Brooks. He has no business to be in here anyway, a bloat ed bondholder like him! He ought to be done up in purple and fine linen and put in a gilt edged bed—well, you know what I mean. But he was spilled out his car right around the corner, and the doctors won't let him be moved. He comes from Texas anyway and doesn't seem to have any friends here" "Won't he work?" asked Pat.

"Indeed he won't replied Miss Allen "He snaps at the nurses and growls at the social service girls. Miss Lang offered to write letters for him the other day, and you ought to have heard him! And now Dr Blake says he must have occupation, but he simply won't listen to it."

"But he shall listen to it, then" replied Pat, and stopping only to thread Kimpson's needle and to pick up Isalore's spilled beads and to put a stand of jute gently into Tito's hands and then, as she passed on her way through B3, pausing to stoop with a smile and a caress over the bed in the corner where little Rosie Speck lay pinioned in her plaster cast, she sped onto Annex A which was next door. In her hands she carried toy animals, weaving boards, cigar boxes, bodkins and knives

Mr. Croesus's appearance was not prepossessing, even though he wore a gorgeous silk jacket over the usual hospital garb. His injuries kept his body quite motionless, but his arms were free, and his iron gray head rolled with remarkable agility on the pillow to view this new apparition that had ventured unmasked into his room.

"Good morning Mr. Brookes" said Pat, with her sunniest smile. "I thought you might like to see some of the work my patients have been doing."

Huh!" snorted Mr. Croesus, rolling his head back again.

Then Pat did her best. She exhibited the most engaging pink cows, purple donkeys, and orange colored giraffes Mr. Croesus to admire; waved before his eyes knotting that could be made into bags that, in their turn, when lined sumptuously by her made the most at

and delightful presents for a gentleman's lady friends; she told of Mike Scallon who with one leg strapped to the ceiling, and one arm in a sling had knotted five bays with his left hand and had made five of his female relatives supremely happy. But masterly as her efforts were they were futile. Mr. Croesus, as if appeared, had no female relatives and would not have wished to make them happy if he had had any. She tried talking Irish to him—the man might have a drop of it in his blood; you never can tell—but she seemed only to annoy him as she annoyed Dr. Kerr, and so she ceased to try, for Pat could put her brogue on and off as she did her apron, an immensely becoming garment just the color of her eyes. Then she tried the circus, but that subject was the last straw. Mr. Croesus was exasperated. What intended were the doctors or the directors or whoever was responsible for the confounded institution thinking of to allow a circus within ten miles of it! Fools! Hadn't they sense enough to let one lay still and get well or lie in peace and not drive them distracted with clowns and donkeys and beads to string?

Pat went away and closed the door behind her. "It's foaming at the mouth he is," she said cheerfully to the nurse, "but just have him to himself a bit."

For its no part of on O. T.'s business to be discouraged—at least, not as Pat understood that business; and if Mr. Croesus could have known it he had by no means seen the last of his unwelcome visitor.

Thereafter Pat haunted Annex A, with Miss Cooper's permission she left her own quarters at intervals and sat in Mr. Croesus' room, where she finished bits of the patients' work

under his reluctant eyes, and wheeled him into scraps of conversation spasmodically. Also she spoke of him to Mr. Blake, the visiting surgeon, and leaned some facts not known to Dr. Kerr or to Miss Morse, the head nurse True, she had failed to interest her patient in the weaving boards, knives; but she was not discouraged.

"Will he work?" asked Miss Allen. "He will not," replied Pat, "But let you be easy; he's going to."

Meanwhile preparations for the circus went gloriously on. A great ring was marked out in the grassy court; and one morning there was a hammering and a clattering and then a silence, and lo! looking from the windows you might see that the fence between building B and C was gone and that the passageway was left clear for the parade.

"I wouldn't mind if a clown would come in here where I could see him, would you Miss Pat?" chirped little Rosie Speck, all a thrill with the excitement and anticipation that surged about her.

"I would not then, darlin" declared Pat. "I've known as many as three of them to go through a ward and stand on their heads at every bed." At which enchanting though little Rosie laughed with delight.

"It's a shame the child can't see the show," said little Miss Mead, the nurse, turning away with Pat. "But Dr. Blake is so strict. We daren't do anything without his permission, and

he doesn't come again until next week" Something flashed in Pat's blue eyes but she said nothing, and Rosie went on laughing.

The next day was The Day. Blue balmy and wonderful, it was a day worthy of May, and of the event. The sun shone and the river sparkled. The show was to arrive at ten o'clock; by nine o'clock the halls and the stairs and the elevators were choked with a radiant stream of nurses and patients. Crutches, braces, carts and wheel chairs were matters of little moment once they helped to convey those who used the into within sight of the court. Cots and cribs were sent down on elevators and carried out into the court, where circles of chairs for the more fortunate were placed thick around the magic sawdust ring. The balconies were crowded; the windows were filled. The air was warm with sunshine and tense with expectation. And Mr. Croesus lay alone in his bed and beyond the partition wall little Rosie Speck lay in her far corner.

But Pat had not forgotten them—not she! She knew things about Mr. Croesus and about Rosie, too; she had her plans. She hurried to help Miss Morse with Ikey Bernstein and to move Mrs. Connor's chair out of the sun and then, with her hair blowing in the wind, she turned back into the workroom.

Fly, Pat! Run up the stairs; the elevator boy has left his post and is at the east window, watching. Al-

ready there is a faint, faint rumbling like an earthquake, and a distant thrilling of music like a giant cricket's turn

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Liquor Referendum

Notice to Voters

Instructions to Voters as to Methods of Marking the Preferential Ballot to be used in the Liquor Referendum in Alberta on Monday, November 5th, 1923

Issued Under the Authority of the Government of Alberta

THE BALLOT

(a) Prohibition—

Meaning thereby, a continuance and development of the present Liquor Legislation; that is, meaning the Abolition of the Sale of all Liquors excepting for strictly Medicinal, Sacramental, Manufacturing and Scientific Purposes.

(b) Licensed Sale of Beer—

Meaning thereby, the Sale of Beer in Licensed Hotels and other Premises, as provided in the proposed Temperance Act.

(c) Government Sale of Beer—

Meaning thereby, the Sale of Beer by or through Government Vendors for consumption in Private Residences under Government Control and Regulation—other Liquors to be sold through Doctor's Prescription for Medicinal Purposes.

(d) Government Sale of All Liquors—

Meaning thereby, the Sale of all Liquors by or through Government Vendors. Beer to be consumed on Licensed Premises and in Private Residences. Wines and Spirits to be purchased in limited quantities under permit issued by the Government, under Government Control and Regulation.

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

The Voter MUST NOT use the X mark. He should mark the figure 1 opposite the question he wishes to become law. He should then mark the figure 2 opposite the question he would select as second choice, the figure 3 opposite his third choice, the figure 4 opposite his fourth choice. He must make no other mark on his ballot. The voter may "plump" for one question alone, using the figure 1, without spoiling his ballot, or he may vote for only two or only three choices.

Voters are urged, however, to vote the full extent of their four choices. There is always the possibility that the question of his first choice will not carry. In that case he should have a second choice, and a third choice and a fourth choice. Only by marking the full number of choices does the voter obtain the full benefit of the preferential ballot, and the government obtain a complete expression of the opinion of the people.



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Editorial Comment

SCOTCH HARVESTERS ARE TRUE CITIZENS

Who said restrict immigration?

When we experience the pleasure of having such a class of men in our midst as the recently arrived Scotch Harvesters who have worked around the Ribstone District this fall we come to the conclusion that a few hundred thousand of this type of men—with their wives and families—would do us a wonderful lot of good. What is more they would derive much benefit too.

Coming to us as common farm laborers, they have displayed all the finer quality of citizenship. They have given time and talent for the benefit of need in our district, though they had no personal interest and nothing at stake. For years to come the term "Scotch Harvester" will stand for the best type of men and citizens.

NO NEED FOR ALIENS AND FOREIGNERS

Restrict Immigration! Yes!! Restrict the all too free inflow of those who come from alien countries whilst we have a source from which we can obtain such a class of men at the "Scotch Harvester." Why it should be more easy for all kinds of aliens to come here than our own kith and kin, we fail to understand.

We have but little protest to make regarding the arrival of those who will speak our language, think our thoughts, and conduct themselves as citizens of Canada with all the obligations attached thereto, and without any form of reserved citizenship in their former country, but we have a decided objection to the planting of little foreign territories all over the western plains.

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Womens Institute Convention Held At Ribstone

The fourth Annual Conference of the branches of the Women's Institute in the Wainwright constituency was held in Ribstone on the afternoon of Oct. 18th.

Excellent music was contributed by members of the various Locals.

The conference speaker, Mrs. Huyck gave a very interesting and instructive address entitled "Keeping Fit."

In the evening this speaker made a stirring appeal for "A 1" on the ballot November 5th.

Officers for 1923-24 were elected as follows: Constituency Convenor, Mrs. McCrea, Ribstone;

Convenors of Committees:

Agriculture, Mrs. Tranmer, Edgerton
Public Health and Child Welfare, Mrs. Wheeler, Edgerton.

Better Schools and Education, Mrs. Parcels, Chauvin.

Household Economics, Mrs. George Burton, Ribstone.

Canadianization, Mrs. Warnock, Edgerton.

Immigration, Mrs. Michon, Wainwright.

Legislation, Mrs. Armour, Chauvin.

Hearty votes of thanks were tendered to the Ribstone friends for their warm hospitality to Mrs. Parcels, who so kindly presided at the organ, and to all who helped to make the conference a success.

EDGERTON ANNUAL REPORT

The Endeavor branch of the W.I. at Edgerton have a membership this year of twenty-seven. We have held eleven regular meetings with an average attendance of fourteen members and have called three directors meetings.

We open our meetings by singing O Canada, and repeating the creed, and also by singing the Institute Ode and the National Anthem.

During the first part of the year we bought some much needed chairs for the church, and voted fifteen dollars for the school which was used to help in the purchase of play ground equipment.

On March 16th we held a successful social evening in the hall which was well attended.

Mrs. Ptolemy presented the Institute with a suggestion box hoping that each member would contribute a suggestion or helpful hint at each meeting, and so far this has been quite a success.

We sent one delegate to the Provincial Convention who brought back an interesting report.

On May 3rd Mrs. Strauch, a demonstration lecturer gave us an interesting talk at which we had a good

attendance and a large number of visitors including the Girls' Club. After the lecture, tea served and all enjoyed a social hour.

At the last directors meeting a program was drawn up for our meetings for the next year, and a subject for a paper assigned to each member. We also have a paper on current events each month.

The following are some of the principal subjects on the program:

Municipal Laws; Comparison of Woman's Work in the Home, Past and Present. Saving Steps and Saving Strength. Ventilation and Disinfection in the Home. Invalid Cookery. First Aid. Flowers and Shrubs that are easy to grow. Hot Supper Dishes. Summer Desserts and Meat Substitutes. Lives of Women and Children in other Lands. Importance of Rest and Recreation in the Life of the Home-maker. Hints on Home Sewing. Value of Cheerfulness and Evils of Fault-finding. Value of Nursing in the Home.

We hope with this program, to make our meetings more interesting and instructive.

WAINWRIGHT ANNUAL REPORT

The meetings of the Wainwright W.I. were held regularly, and were well attended, except the August meeting which was omitted on account of so many of the members being out of town.

Through the early autumn and winter considerable relief work was done. Six quilts were made and distributed, also quite a lot of clothing made over for destitute families. New clothing to the value of \$12.00 was donated. Fruit, flowers and dainties have been sent regularly to invalids in the district. Special donations of Christmas boxes were sent to the aged and the sick.

The second annual Grandmother's Day program proved a great success.

This is the February meeting and is always very interesting and well attended.

A tea and home cooking sale was

a help to our finances to about \$20.00.

The delegate sent to the Provincial Convention brought us a good report which was helpful and encouraging.

A donation to the War Memorial Fund was voted on, and the money will be handed over as soon as work is resumed on the Memorial Clock in the spring.

The members have undertaken to sew for a family of six little motherless children.

Honey, in large quantities is purchased for our members which is quite a financial saving to each individual.

RIBSTONE ANNUAL REPORT

Since our last Convention we have held 12 meetings. One St. Patrick's Concert on March 17th; A Lawn Social in July. This year we have taken "The Children" for our slogan. We are at present working for a childrens fair, to be held next month, when suitable prizes will be given for their work. For our St. Patrick's concert we always try to have Irish selections for a program and serve an Irish Lunch for which we make a charge of 35c. At our Lawn Social we run a booth and a lunch counter. Lunch being sold at 25c. We also had all sorts of games for the children as well as races for which prizes were given. A committee was in charge of the games and everything run smoothly. At our meetings we also serve ten cent lunches. We sent a delegate to Edmonton to the Convention. We have furnished fruit and flowers for the sick. We gave an infant Shower to a woman just come into the country. A present was given to a member who got married, also to one who moved away. We also gave a donation to our new church which was erected last fall.

We are all hoping for an overwhelming majority at the coming election. Vote A mark 1—and save your own boys, and somebody else's at the same time.

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LOCAL NOTES

I know a girl
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Men

A record sized garden beet has been on display at the Chauvin Chronicle office during the past few days. It is an Early Eclipse, weighing 8 pounds and 15 ounces, raised by C. W. Ryall of Prosperity.

An error was made last week in giving the prices of admission to the annual dinner at Lealholme. The charges are \$1.00 and .50.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cote Sunday October 21st a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Nicholson, of Dina, Sunday, September 30, a son.

Tea has again advanced in price, but you can still buy that high quality of tea at Saker's for 65c. per pound.

James Varty had the good fortune to strike a flowing well of water at the depth of 210 feet last Friday.

The daily posting of a bulletin at the Chronicle office giving the latest market grain prices a Winnipeg is being keenly appreciated.

Our movie man has made a considerable improvement by making provision for a larger picture each week. The new lens, bought especially for the Chauvin hall, was used last Monday with good results. He has shown a much better program these past few weeks and deserves more patronage.

Four girls, Dorothy Jardine, Irene Rockey, Alberta Jenkinson and Elizabeth Lessel acted as pall bearers at the funeral of Annie Tizzard who was accidentally burned last week.

For that Halloween party, Jack o' Lanterns, masks, noise makers, etc., for sale at Saker's.

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C. C. McKechnie,

Red Cross Appeal

GOVERNMENT HOUSE
EDMONTON

October 19th, 1923.

TO THE PEOPLE OF ALBERTA

The action of the Alberta Division of the Red Cross Society in soliciting the people to co-operate in giving donations of wheat or cash to assist in mitigating the suffering caused by the recent stupendous disaster in Japan, meets with my hearty endorsement, and I appeal with confidence to the Provincial Press to bring the matter to the attention of their readers. By a generous response we shall comply with article 25 of the Covenant of the League of Nations and carry out one of the chief purposes for which the Red Cross Society was incorporated, namely, to rally to the relief of suffering humanity.

Sincerely yours
R. G. BRETT
Lieutenant Governor.

Coming Auction Sales

An Auction Sale will be held on Friday Oct. 26th. on the N.W. 36-42-2 at 1 o'clock, sharp. Horses, Harness and a quantity of household goods are being offered for sale on this date. Lunch will be served at noon. T. E. Lambert, owner. The sale will be conducted by Geo. Reynolds.

On Saturday Nov. 3rd an Auction Sale will be held at S.W. 18-46-1 w4th G. Reynolds will conduct the sale which will include cattle, machinery, hove tools, and 3000 oat sheaves. Sale starts at 1 o'clock, Lunch served at noon. Owner, Bert Reynolds.

An Auction Sale will be held on November 5th at the farm of Clarence Malidore, N.E. 15-44-3. The sale will include Horses, Cattle Pigs, Poultry Implements and Household goods and a Ford car. Lunch will be served at noon; Sale commences at 1.30. Vote early, and then come to this sale, Geo. Reynolds, Auctioneer.

On Tuesday, November 5th George Reynolds will conduct an auction sale of Horses, Cattle Implements and Household goods, the property of W. J. Clifford situate N.W. 17-44-2, w4. Everything must be sold as Mr. Clifford is leaving. Lunch will be served at 12 o'clock, Sale commences at 1.00 p.m. sharp. Do not miss this sale.

An Auction Sale will be held re the estate of the late John Wright on the farm 1 mile South-east of Butze, N.E. 2-443-1 w4th. Offered at this sale are 6 Head of Horses; 22 Head of Cattle; 11 Pigs; A number of Farm Implements and Tools; Some Harness; 2 stacks of Hay 50 bushels of potatoes; and all kinds of household goods, and a number of other articles. The Cattle includes a Registered Shorthorn Bull and several milk Cows all giving milk and some fresh, also 2 young heifers with calves at foot. The sale is absolutely unreserved, and everything must be disposed of. Lunch will be served at 11.30; Sale starts at 12.30 sharp. The sale is ordered by Maggie W.

RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF
ANITOU LAKE, No. 442

POUND NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of power granted under Section 24 of "The Stray Animals Act" and of By-Law of the Rural Municipality of Manitou Lake No. 442.

One bay mare, star, white hind feet some white on front feet, 1350 lbs, Branded C and lazy C on right thigh also 2? under bar on left thigh.

Bay gelding, white face, white left front foot some white right hind foot, about 1400 lbs, harness marks on both horses; were impounded in the Pound kept by the undersigned on the 13th day of October 1923.

R. S. SWINDELL, Poundkeeper
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Wright, and Horace G. Folkins. Executors of the estate, and will be conducted by George Reynolds. For further particulars, see posters.

will be served at noon; Sale at 1 o'clock sharp.

An auction sale will be held under the Bankruptcy Act on the farm of B. C. Raimy S.E. 1-45-3 w4th; 35 head of cattle including good government stock; 20 head of horses; 22 pigs; six granaries; threshing outfit and machinery. Sale will commence at 12 o'clock sharp on Thursday, November 3rd, with George Reynolds a auctioneer.

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WHAT IS THE VERDICT
OF THE COUNTRY

Grain Growers Guide, October 3, 1923, editorial, page 4:

"For three years the prairie provinces have had as complete a system of prohibition as it seems possible to get at this time, and it has to be regrettably admitted that it has not given satisfaction as an enforceable law."

The whole editorial is Prohibitionist in sentiment, but frankly admits the failure of Prohibition. It hurts the Editor to say it, but he sees the facts and he is honest in admitting them.

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The Needle's Eye

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ing his song on the breeze. Now if only the telephone may be trusted and likewise the heart of a man. If the message sent more than an hour ago has reached its goal!

"Rosie" whisperel Pat, bending close above the little, eager pale face on the pillow, "would you be doing something for Pat Would you cry a little for me now, acushla, with everybody down there having the grand time and you up here in your bed?"

"But what for should I cry? asked Rosie. "It wouldn't do me any good, would it? You said there might be a clown come into the ward."

"But think of the elephants, darlin' urgel Pat. "There isn't an elephant alive could be after coming in the ward. Anl the horses—think of them, with the beautiful ladies riding on them and you not seeing them at all." Pat was near to tears herself.

"Why is that door open?" Miss Morse asked severely, a moment later stopping on her way through the corridor. It was a door that opened on a little passage between the ward and Annex A. and was usually kept shut

"The air seemed close" Pat explained gently. "The door should be open for just a few minutes, if you please, Miss Morse."

Miss Morse opened her mouth to

speak, but there was something in Pat's eye that made her close it again. After all it was Circus Day. And the door remained open. Through it presently, when Miss More was gone stole a faint unusual sound. Pat, who was busy gathering up some work in Mr. Croesus room did not notice it; but Mr Croesus did. He rolled his head restlessly and fidgeted with his bedclothes.

"What is that?" he asked sharply as the sound grew louder.

"That?" Pat listened. "Oh, that would be a child crying," she said cheerfully.

"Would be!" repeated Mr. Croesus. "It is. What is it crying for?"

"It's Rosie," said Pat, listening again. "That's who it is; little Rosie Speck, crying because she can't see the circus. She has the best part of her done up in plaster. You'll not blame her?"

"Blame her! Hecavens and earth!" burst out Mr. Croesus, as the little sobs continued. "Can't they do something about it? Fools! Dummies! To let a child cry like that, and a circus right out in the back yard!"

"O dear me" said Pat nervously. "You see, Dr Blake says—"

"Dr Blake! stormd Mr. Croesus, "is the most stubborn, stiff backed pig headed loon of a doctor that ever lived! I haven't doubt the child is perfectly able to go to the circus. It's just his—"

"Shall I ask Dr. Kerr?" cried Pat, spying the doctor's white-clad figure beyond the door. "Maybe he can help us. Dr. Kerr!" She was in the corridor, breathless. "Isn't there some way little Rosie Speck could see the circus? Mr. Brookes is so anxious—"

"Oh, I'm afraid not, Miss Pat," said Dr. Kerr, rubbing his fingers uncertainly through his hair. "We can't do anything without Dr. Blake's authority you know."

"And if we were to be sending for Dr. Blake now?"

"Sending for—" Dr. Kerr seemed to have lost his breath for a moment. "Really, Miss Pat," he began, "you don't understand, Dr. Blake is—"

"There he is now!" announced Pat with a sigh of relief.

Dr. Kerr's jaw dropped. Speechless he gazed at the amazing spectacle of Dr. Blake himself stepping calmly

from the elevator, as if sent direct by the hand of Providence.

But Pat had not time to lose. "Oh Dr. Blakel" she exclaimed, quite as if she were speaking to the elevator boy himself instead to one of the most distinguished young surgeons in the city—a man who at that moment wore besides a faintly astonished and outraged degression a loop of hauteur and of stern, iron jawed determination that might well have awed a mere occupational therapist. "I'm so glad you have come, Dr Blake! We want to see if little Rosie Speck can't go to the circus!"

"Tell him to say that she can!" roared Mr. Croesus from his bed, "Tell him I'll make it worth his while."

Bribery walls of the hospital! But apparently Mr. Croesus might have spared himself the words. Under Pat's blue eyes a change seemed to be taking place in the surgeon; everyone observed it, a singular crumpling and disintegration as it were of that inflexible will of which the entire hospital stood in awe.

Dr. Blake examined Rosie silently glanced at the chart, hemmed and hawed a little—oh, if he would only hurry! Then "I think" he said, with a perfectly futile attempt to appear at stern and iron-jawed as ever, "if the bel itself could be moved."

"Exactly," agreed Pat eagerly, and glanced at Miss Mead, who by that time had come up to care for her little charge. Mr. Croesus' snort of approval echoed across the passage. "She could" Pat added, "be carried across the corridor and out on the balcony—"

"The bed wont go through the door" Miss Mead interrupted her. We measured—"

"Take the door down!" shouted Mr. Croesus. "Take all the doors down! Break 'em up! Smash 'em! I'll foot the bills. I'll build 'em a new hospital Get an orderly—two orderlies! I'll pay 'em.

He need not have worried. Now that they had obtained permission of the great mogul—who, by the way, soon disappear as abruptly as he had come—nothing could stop the triumphant course of events. The orderlies were summoned. Pat knew them all, and they were hers to a man. Two doors came off their hinges. The bed was lifted, and, tipped ever so little, went through nicely. Room for one more was made on a balcony already crowded with beds. The sunshine was brilliant oot ther. The music was coming nearer. Every neck was craned every eye was fixed on that little passage between the buildings.

And now something shines in it; something flutters. "Steady, Brown, Ease her gently over the still there, Jones! Quick, Rosie, see the elephants!"

Majestic and splendid, the great beasts moved out in to the sun. They had little houses on the grand shining trappings, gold and purple and scarlet. Behind them came the horses—dancing and prancing, anl with beautiful ladies, all gauze and spangles, riding on them. There were chariots, gold and silver, and monkeys and dogs and ponies and four, five—fifty clowns, not standing on their heads in the narrow ward, but leaping and tumbling on the grass.

"I wish you could see her eyes!" exclaimed Pat, laughing and running back to Mr Croesus. "It would pay you to build them new hospital just for that. And, oh I wish you could see that show, yourself, Mr. Brookes."

Mr. Croesus' mouth relaxed in the grimest of smiles. "I used to be kind of a dabster with a knife," he remarked. "If you will bring me some of those little fool elephants and things to carve I'll try my hand at them. I guess that will be circus enough for me."

"It was easy," said Pat, talking over Mr. Croesus' conversation with the aids and the nurses several days later. "As soon as I found out he had grandchildren of his own that he was crazy about I knew he'd have a soft spot I could work on. And there was Rosie right next door and the circus and all".

"But Dr. Blake!" cried Miss Mead,

and Dr. Kerr, passing through the corridor at that moment, paused to listen. "Will you tell us how he came to be here and to give in to you like that!"

"Faith," answered Pat, as rosy as one of her own pink cows, "he was here because I sent for him then; and as for giving in to me, what would he do else, the way he was he'd maybe want to please me, and I am marrying him before ever the month is out!"

The true patriot is not one who wants to see his nation dominant over others, but one who wants to see it pre-eminent in showing to others the spirit of sacrifice and fellowship in high causes—Bishop of Manchester.

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CHAUVIN, ALBERTA

Knox Church Ladies Aid Annual Supper & Bazaar

The annual fowl supper and Bazaar of Knox Church, Ribstone was a great success, despite the busy time of the year. The ladies were along in good time, and had the tables piled high with good things. Supper commenced at 6 o'clock, when turkeys, chickens, ham, roast beef, salads, and jellies disappeared in a short time. Sale at the Bazaar with the exception of the 15c table going all the time. At 8 o'clock Miss Dominey in charge, the sale commenced at the bargain table, and judging from the rush, everybody was satisfied they were getting a bargain. At 9:30 the lucky number was drawn for the quilt, little Orval Dallyn, putting his chubby hand in the box, and drawing the ticket. Miss McLaughlin having the duplicate

number won the quilt which was presented to her, causing much merriment. The remainder of the bazaar goods were auctioned off by our old friend "Critt," who with his good wife arrived in town just in time for the supper.

The total proceeds of the supper and bazaar amounted to \$133.35.

The Ladies Aid wish to extend their thanks to the Misses Price who furnished excellent music throughout the evening, and to all friends who so kindly donated towards supper and bazaar.

MRS. R. MORRISON, Pres

Farewell Social at Ribstone

Seldom if ever during the many years of existence has the Municipal Hall at Ribstone been filled with a larger and jollier crowd than on Saturday night, when the building was given over to a gay social put on by the ladies of the surrounding district as a farewell party to the Scottish Harvesters.

Commencing at 6 p.m. a procession of motor cars, buggys, wagons and saddle horses kept the roads leading to Ribstone busy till 9 p.m. There was nothing remarkable about that nor about the motor cars. In fact these same roads are frequented to no small extent by motor cars which are well known along the roads that lead to Ribstone. But Oh Girls! what a procession! The cars were bedecked with flags and banners which proclaimed to all the world that the ladies of the district were en route to Ribstone where it was planned to hold their farewell social. The crowded hall and array of waiting automobiles drawn up outside bearing evidence of the interest felt in the event.

The decorations of the Hall was white, blue and gold, overhead streamers in blue and gold were artistically arranged across the hall, and forming a canopy overhead. Many were the expressions of delight and admiration to the ladies who with their wealth of exquisite foliage plants, in all kinds of pretty and quaint pots, and placed in every spot where their beauty of coloring shone out artistically against the walls and back ground.

The ladies served a buffet lunch at 11:30, and judging from the spread spread it looked enough for a battalion. The ladies of the district arranged the full program. The musicians were Mrs. Pound, the Misses Price, Mr. Wm. Clifford and Mr. T. H. Smith. The Harvesters provided some harmonizing music which included Scotch songs and ragtime.

It was a most impressive scene

when the whole company rose and sang "God be with you till we meet again". Mr. T. W. Campbell in a voice quivering with emotion replied on behalf of the Harvesters. "We left a great noble country when we left Scotland. I say without exaggeration that we have reached a better. We have found friends as great out here. This is a great and wonderful country, with a great and wonderful people, and among such people I and the Scottish Harvesters will be content to remain.

Your kindness has been overwhelming, and I desire to thank you on behalf of the Scottish Harvesters and myself for such a great expression of your regard for us as we have had here tonight."

Three rounding cheers were given the Scots and the last glimpse I had as I left the building was a great crowd surrounding the Scotsmen bidding them good-bye and good luck..

Correspondence Courses

Mr. John Hall was in the Village on Wednesday last for the purpose of enrolment of intending students for the new Correspondent Courses now instituted by the Western Correspondence College (LD). Edmonton.

Students unable to continue attendance at school may now take Grades IX, G, XI, and XII, and Junior Matriculation through the medium of this College and its correspondence courses.

All tuition is given under the Regulations of the Department of Education of Alberta; and the examinations will be the Departmental Examinations of Alberta, held in June 1924. Junior Matriculation exams. held in May and September 1924.

As Mr. Hall is covering quite a large territory, he has left all information and forms with Mr. T. H. Saul, Chauvin, who will enrol any intending students at any time.

All lessons will be mailed on typed sheets to each individual student, who will return his answers to the College for correction and criticism. The whole work can be accomplished at home, and the examinations for any of the grades mentioned may be written at the nearest high school center.

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The price of admission is \$1.00 for adults and 50¢.. from 12 to 16 years; children under 12 free.

Perhaps you haven't noticed that prices are lower on everything you haven't occasion to buy.

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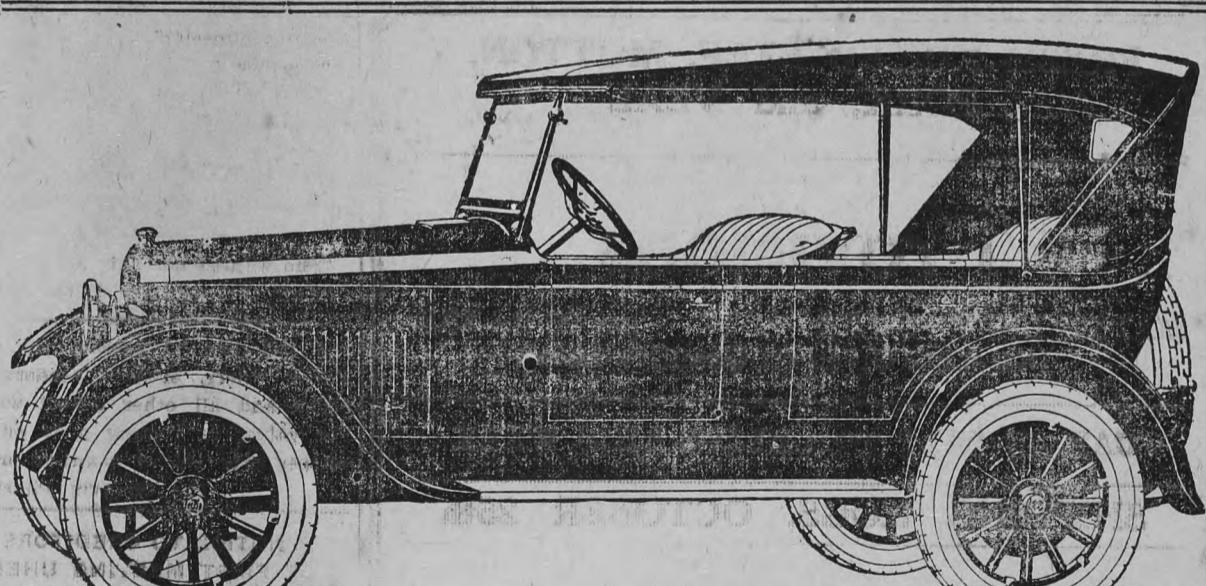
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Mrs Craddock was severely injured last Sunday evening by the overturning of the wagon and receiving a kick in the head from the startled horses. They had brought Miss Craddock to town that evening, and tied the team up, starting away in the dark they fouled a telephone wire whilst turning, thus causing the accident.

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B: "No, but my attention has been."

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An old Scotchman was threatened with blindness if he did not give up drinking.

"Now, McTaish," said the doctor, "It's like this. You've either got to stop the whisky or lose your eyesight, and you must choose."

"Aye, weel, doctor," said McTavish, "I'm an auld man noo, an' I was thinkin I hae seen aboot everything worth seeing."

Visitor: "How old are you, Marie?"
Maggie: "I'm five, and mother says if I'm good an' eat lots of oatmeal I'll be six next birthday."

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Reception Given To Rev. & Mrs. MacKenzie

A reception was given to Rev. W. MacKenzie and his wife by the ladies of the Westminster Ladies Auxiliary in the Westminster church last Friday evening. A hearty response having been made to the invitation of these ladies, there was a large number present. In the absence of the church managers, Mr. D'Albertan acted as chairman, and in a brief speech he outlined the history of the church and its people, emphasizing the loyalty shown by the various subscribers and the work of the Auxiliary and the Sunday school in the maintenance and improvement of the property and portrayed the spiritual needs of this congregation.

Mr. J. A. MacKenzie, as a fellow countryman of his namesake, Rev. MacKenzie, and as a representative of the other church supported the chairman's remarks capably, expressing the growing recognition of the common aims and purposes of the various sections of the Christian church. He hoped to see the new minister enjoy a long useful and happy period of labors in our midst.

Rev. U. MacKenzie responded outlining his previous experience and his purpose in the work of the ministry. A rich vein of humor ran throughout his address in which he expressed his desire to be of service to the people of the Chauvin mission field whilst he remained in the district, a period which had not been designated.

Mrs. W. MacKenzie spoke briefly and thanked those who had so freely shown their kindness to them on their arrival, she hoped that they would often visit at their home—the people's manse.

Two songs were included in the program, at the conclusion of which the members of the Auxiliary served a sumptuous repast which all enjoyed. A vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. C. Miller and seconded by Mr. U. T. Watson, being passed by a hearty clapping of hands.

Parent: "Who is the laziest boy in your class, Johnny?"

Johnny: "I don't know."

"I should think you would know. When all the other children are industriously writing or studying their lessons, who is it that sits idly in his seat and watches the rest, instead of working himself?"

"Teacher."

"How old are you, Marjorie?"
"I'm five, and mother says if I'm good and eat all my crusts and lots of porridge, I'll be six next birthday."

"She wanted her hair henna-ed."
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In the estate of Adolph Gingress, authorized assignor, of the District of Killarney Lake in the Province of Alberta, occupation, Farmer.

Notice is hereby given that Adolph Gingress of Killarney Lake P.O. did on the 6th day of September 1923 make an authorized assignment to the undersigned.

Notice is further given that the first meeting of the creditors in the above estate will be held at my office in Chauvin on the 29th day of October 1923 at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

To entitle you to vote thereat proof of your claim must be lodged with me before the meeting is held.

Proxies to be used at the meeting

must be lodged with me prior thereto. And further take notice that if you have any claim against the debtor for which you are entitled to rank, proof of such claim must be filed with me within thirty days from the date of this notice, for from and after the expiration of the time fixed by subsection 8 of section 37 of the said Act, I shall distribute the proceeds of the debtor's estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which I have then notice.

Dated at Chauvin, this 15th day of October 1923.

T. H. SAUL, Authorized Trustee

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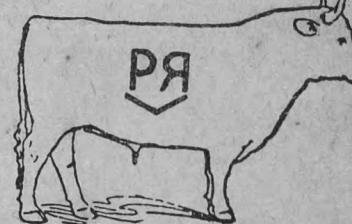
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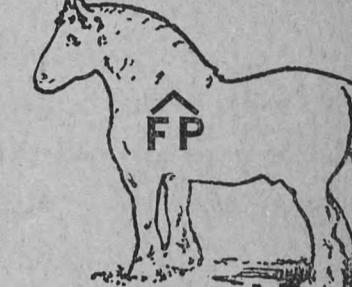
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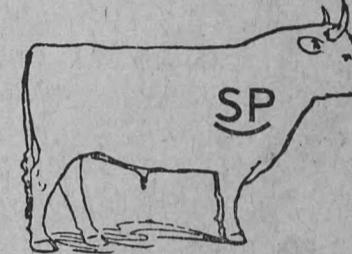
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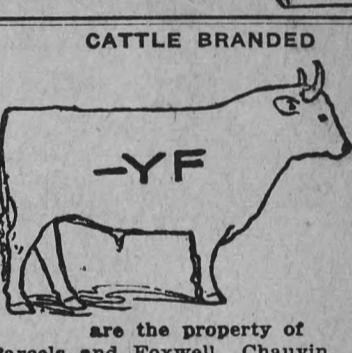
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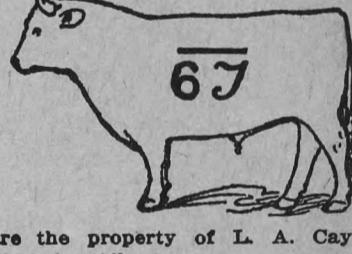
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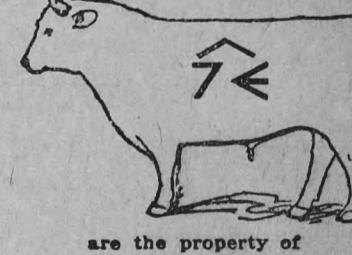
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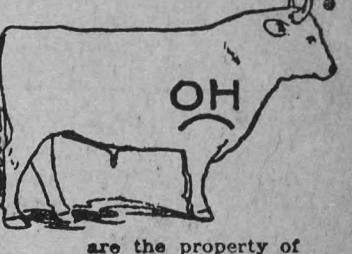
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